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### SOMEBODY LIED.

Under the caption, "A 'News Item' For a Purpose" last Friday's Daily Spasm, printed at the Cape, took "Fred Goyert's paper" to task for publishing a three line local. Its rantings, in which considerable space was consumed under big headings, might possibly do as much harm to the business interests of that town as a trivial three-liner in this paper, especially when they were run in three editions, twice in the daily and once in the weekly, and just at the close of a circulation getting contest. The Spasm lied, as usual. We had no "purpose" in publishing the item other than as a news item. The report has been current here for the past few weeks and in many cases exaggerated as to the number, which was ascertained by telephone and personal communication with residents at that place who are equally as truthful as the Baron Munchausen pilots of the Spasm. Wonder what its "purpose" is?

### SOME PLAIN, SIMPLE FACTS

The official returns from the election of November 8 have been certified to the Secretary of State and that official has cast them up and made known the legal result. Each candidate on the Republican State ticket has been credited with a majority that ought to be conclusive. The average majority of the four candidates on the Republican State was 4,043. The average of six candidates on the Democratic State ticket, declared elected in 1908, was only 2,254. The lowest majority credited to a candidate on the Democratic State ticket 1908 was 773 (for Roach for Secretary of State.) The high 3,133 (for Cowgill for State Treasurer.) The lowest majority shown by the official returns of the late election in favor of a Republican candidate is 2,240 (for Evans for Superintendent of Schools.) The highest is 5,429 (for Wightmann for Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner.)

In 1908 six Democratic candidates for State offices were commissioned on small majorities obtained in Kansas City, where the election was regarded as the most fraudulent ever held in that city. The majorities thus obtained were:

Graves for Supreme Judge, 3,022  
Knott for R. R. and Warehouse Commissioner, 2,080  
Cowgill for Treasurer, 3,133  
Gordon for Auditor, 2,833  
Major for Attorney General, 1,679  
Roach for Sec. of State, 712

In 1908 the exceptionally large majority in St. Louis would have defeated all of the Democratic candidates but for an extraordinary, irregular and very suspicious Dem. majority in Jackson county (including Kansas City.) In 1910 the Republicans majority in St. Louis increased—the increase being due to an orderly, lawful and honest election, in which more than the usual number of qualified voters participated.

These statements are correct, are beyond reasonable doubt, and will remain uncontradicted no matter what processes may be employed to discredit them. And it may be fairly stated that the voting in St. Louis is not open

to doubt or suspicion, as is the vote for representative in every one of the close counties from which Democrats were elected to the legislature.

The two Supreme Judges, the Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner, and the State Superintendent of Schools elected by the people Nov. 8 will be conducted into office early in January if the constitution and laws of the State are at that time in effect.

Governor Hadley having made honest elections possible in the big cities the Democratic politicians must make the people of the counties believe a lie to successfully discount that Republican achievement. Missourians are not as ready as they formerly were to accept the statements of Democratic leaders as gospel truth. They'll have to be shown.

When Cornelius Roach, the Democratic Secretary of State, became indignant over the lukewarmness of the Democratic leaders toward the contest proposition and issued a statement the whole state laughed. Governor Hadley expressed the current sentiment when he said that Roach's statement would have been more timely two years ago.

About thirty thousand citizens in the counties other than Buchanan, Jackson and St. Louis, who voted the Republican ticket in 1908, failed to vote any ticket in 1910. These brethren need to be labored with. Had they gone to the polls and voted for the good men on the Republican State, county and district tickets this year the Democratic politicians might have reformed. Nothing better than such reform could happen for the good of grand old Missouri.

### Overflow From Local Page

An editor approached St. Peter at the Golden Gate and handed him a long list of delinquent subscribers and said: "Look this list over carefully and see if any of these fellows have sneaked through the pearly gates." "No," said St. Peter, "there are none of them inside, but a fellow slipped through here the other day who took the paper a year without paying for it and had the postmaster mark it 'refused,' but we are after him, and when caught he will be consigned to the place where he properly belongs. He is meaner even than the delinquent subscriber, and Heaven is not his home."—Ex.

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The widow of the late Andrew Walker, of St. Joseph, Mo., admitted last Saturday that she ordered the grave of her husband's opened and two rings removed from his fingers. She said she did so because the rings were her property.

Mrs. L. M. Walker, mother of the dead man, disputes the ownership of the rings. She says the hands of the body were mutilated in the process of removing the jewelry. Walker committed suicide October 3 last after a quarrel with his wife, who is the daughter of J. H. Gregory, a Grand Island Railway conductor.

### Important Case Settled

Judge Reed in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals rendered a decision in the case of Samuel McAtee, executor, etc., vs. W. F. Schade, trustee, etc., in favor of respondents. This suit was for the purpose of quieting title to the Jackson Brick and Tile Company's property in which a sum of about \$30,000 was involved. Wilson Cramer of this city represented the appellants and Thomas D. Hines also of this city and Moses Whybark of Cape Girardeau acted for respondents.

### Died.

Henry Burschwald, died at his home at Whitewater, November 29th last, of pneumonia, aged 52 years. He was sick only one week. He leaves seven children to mourn his loss. The remains were interred last Thursday at the Whitewater cemetery under the auspices of the M. W. of A. He was a member of the M. E. church and had resided in this county for the past ten years.

### GUARDIAN'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that, on November 19, 1910, the undersigned was appointed guardian of the person and estate of Peter P. Wills, an insane person, by the Probate Court of Cape Girardeau county, Mo., and that letters bearing date November 19, 1910, were issued to him. All persons having claims against the said estate are requested to present them to the undersigned for allowance within one year from date of said letters; and if they be not presented within two years they will be forever barred. ROBERT A. WILLS, Guardian.

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